

Abstract

The present invention relates to hypocholesterolemic compositions comprising statins plus antifatulent agents. In particular the compositions of the present invention comprise a statin selected from the group consisting of atorvastatin, cerivastatin, fluvastatin, lovastatin, pitavastatin, pravastatin, rosuvastatin and simvastatin, whether in free form or as pharmaceutically acceptable salts and hydrates thereof, plus an antifatulent agent selected from the group consisting of simethicone and dimethicone. The combination of statins plus antifatulent agents is useful in the prevention and management of flatulence caused by statins.